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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed this last January 28, 2003. A response was due this February 28, 2003. It is believed that no fee is due at this time to maintain the application in full force and effect. However, if any such fee is due, please charge this to Deposit Account No. 08-3260.

Please amend the above identified application as follows:

REMARKS

In the last Office Action, it was required that the Applicant elect between four classes of claims. The Applicant hereby elects Claims 1-12 drawn to the peddle and motorized bicycle, classified in Class 180, Sub-Class 219.

The restriction requirement is hereby traversed. It is believed that the prosecution of the invention could be expedited by searching all